



Mr. Richard Arthur Miller

November 1, 1946 - September 29, 2014

In the company of the two favorite women (wife Pat Otis Miller and daughter Karolyn Sutherland) in his life, Richard (Rich) A. Miller left this earthly home on Monday, September 29, 2014, to guard the gates of Heaven, as all honorable Marines do.

A celebration of life memorial service will be held Saturday October 11, 2014 at 2:00 PM at Kimbrell-Stern. Visitation will be held an hour prior to the memorial service. Pastor Donnie Nix and Mrs. Karolyn Sutherland will officiate.

Born November 1, 1946 in Colville, WA, Rich is preceded in death by his first wife, Billie Jean Miller, his parents, Walt and Thelma Miller, two brothers and one sister.

Rich graduated high school, attended college for two years and then joined the Marine Corps in 1968, serving over 21 years before his retirement in 1989. He then continued to serve his beloved Marines working as an Engineering Technician with civil services at the Marine Corps Logistics Base in Albany, GA, for 13 years before permanently retiring in 2003.

Rich had several hobbies he enjoyed; the first being writing short stories and poetry. He loved nature and all outdoor activities, especially hunting and fishing. Rich was a lifetime member of the NRA -a passionate believer in and defender of our 2nd amendment rights. During his many travels he acquired an appreciation for a variety of ethnic foods. Rich ate any and everything placed before him, except grits!

Survivors include his loving family, his wife, Pat Otis-Miller of Albany; Dr. Burton and Karolyn Sutherland of Panama City, FL; Gary and Rhonda Otis of Griffin, GA; Mike and Michelle Otis and their sons Nicholas and Jake of Griffin, GA; Lynn and Ron Vroegh of Pella, IA; and Glenda Greason of Port Orange, FL; several grandchildren and a cadre of friends who will miss him terribly. In lieu of flowers the family request donations to be made in his memory to your local humane society.

Semper Fi

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT 11. 2:00 PM (ET)

Kimbrell-Stern Funeral Directors
1503 Dawson Rd.
Albany, GA 31707

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Richard Arthur Miller*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



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“ *Mr. Richard Arthur Miller*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *I was a co-worker of Rich's and really appreciated him. I was a little older with B.S. and M.S. degrees in mechanical engineering, an M.B.A., and was a licensed professional engineer. But when I had a message that had to really get folks' attention I would write it and take it to Rich. He would rewrite it in spades.*

I had to respond to a memo that wanted to delete ten military standards and specifications and replace them with non-government standards. Rich's conclusion: "It must be firmly kept in mind that the reason government standards and specifications exist is that it is the only way the government can get what it wants."

May God bless you, Rich.

John O. Morris

John O. Morris - October 10, 2014 at 12:15 PM